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FOR: METHOD OF REMOVING CAFFEINE FROM CAFFEINE-CONTAINING

CATECHIN COMPOUND COMPOSITION

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 10, 2010, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 11 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this response.